

HOUSE RESOLUTION 91

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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of James G. Stranch, III, to the Tennessee Ethics Commission.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-103(c)(1)(C), Speaker of the House of Representatives Beth Harwell has selected James G. Stranch, III, from a list of candidates submitted by the minority caucus of the House as her appointee to the Tennessee Ethics Commission; and

WHEREAS, Mr. James Stranch of Kingsport is a member of the law firm Branstetter Stranch & Jennings; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stranch has practiced for over thirty (30) years in the area of labor and employment law and is a past Chairman of the Tennessee Bar Association's Labor Law Section; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stranch has previously served as a member of the Tennessee Judicial Nominating commission and is a member of the Nashville Bar Association, American Bar Association, Tennessee Trial Lawyer's Association and the American Trial Lawyer's Association; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Stranch is a person of integrity and an active citizen whose commitment to the law will help to enhance the well being of this State and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-103(c)(2), requires confirmation of this appointment by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the House of Representatives; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-103, Mr. James G. Stranch, III, is hereby appointed to serve as a member of the Tennessee Ethics Commission. Such term to commence

immediately upon adoption of this resolution by the House of Representatives and to expire on December 31, 2014.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that enrolled copies of this resolution be transmitted to the director of the Bureau of Ethics and Campaign Finance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation to Mr. Stranch, with the final two resolving clauses omitted from such copy.